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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A subscriber multi-media communication management system for operation with a plurality of subscriber stations, at least a one of the plurality of subscriber stations being a selected subscriber station which includes a docking bay for operatively coupling a one of a plurality of subscriber devices device to the selected subscriber station, the multi-media communication management system comprising:

a network communication circuit for multi-media communication with said plurality of subscriber stations;

a session control circuit for establishing a communication session with the a selected subscriber station through the network communication circuit, comprising:

means for receiving a message from a the selected subscriber station indicating that a the one of the plurality of subscriber devices device has been operatively coupled thereto;

means for accessing a subscriber contact directory associated with the one of the plurality of subscriber devices device operatively coupled to the selected subscriber station,

means for receiving data from the selected subscriber station indicating subscriber selection of a selected contact from the subscriber contact directory; and

means for communicating a control message to the selected subscriber station which provides for the selected subscriber station to establish an audio session channel to a packet voice gateway and for the packet voice gateway to establish an audio session channel to a destination associated with the selected contact.

2. (Previously Amended) The subscriber multi-media communication management system of claim 1, wherein the session control circuit further comprises:

means for communicating at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory to

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the selected subscriber station; and

means for communicating control messages to the selected subscriber station to effect the display of at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory.

3. (Previously Amended) The subscriber multi-media communication management system of claim 2, wherein the session control circuit further comprises:

means for identifying parameters of a display associated with the selected subscriber station; and

means for communicating display layout messages compatible with the parameters to the selected subscriber station.

4. (Currently Amended) The subscriber multi-media communication management system of claim 2, wherein the session control circuit further comprises:

means for communicating control messages to the selected subscriber station to effect the communication of at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory to the one of a plurality of subscriber device-devices coupled to the selected subscriber station and to effect the display of at least a portion of the subscriber directory by the one of a plurality of subscriber device-devices coupled to the selected subscriber station.

5. (Previously Amended) The subscriber multi-media communication management system of claim 1, wherein the session control circuit further comprises:

means for accessing subscriber contact files stored on the one of a plurality of subscriber device-devices coupled to the selected subscriber station; and

means for updating the subscriber contact directory to include at least a portion of the subscriber contact files.

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9. (Previously Amended) The subscriber multi-media communication management

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system of claim 1, wherein the network communication circuit comprises:

at least one wireless transceiver for exchanging wireless signals with a compatible wireless transceiver in each subscriber station.

10. (Currently Amended) A method of operating a subscriber multi-media communication management system, the subscriber multi-media communication management system for operation with a plurality of subscriber stations, at least one of the plurality of subscriber stations being a selected subscriber station which includes a docking bay for operatively coupling a one of a plurality subscriber devices ~~device~~ to the selected subscriber station, the method comprising the steps of:

establishing a communication session with a selected subscriber station over a network communication link;

receiving a message from the selected subscriber station indicating that a the one of the plurality of subscriber devices ~~device~~ has been operatively coupled thereto;

accessing a subscriber contact directory that is associated with the one of the plurality of subscriber devices ~~device~~ operatively coupled to the selected subscriber station;

receiving an indication of subscriber selection of a selected contact from the subscriber contact directory; and

communicating a control message to the selected subscriber station which provides for the selected subscriber station to establish an audio session channel to a packet voice gateway and for the packet voice gateway to establish an audio session channel to a destination associated with the selected contact.

11. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 10, further comprising:

communicating at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory to the selected subscriber station; and

communicating control messages to the selected subscriber station to effect the display of at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory.

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12. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 11, further comprising:
identifying parameters of a display associated with the selected subscriber station; and
communicating display layout messages compatible with the parameters to the selected subscriber station.
13. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 10, further comprising:
communicating at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory to the selected subscriber station; and
communicating control messages to the selected subscriber station to effect the communication of at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory to the one of the plurality subscriber devices coupled to the selected subscriber station device and to effect the display of at least a portion of the subscriber contact directory by the one of a plurality of subscriber ~~device~~ devices coupled to the selected subscriber station.
14. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 10, further comprising:
accessing subscriber contact files stored on the one of a plurality of subscriber ~~device~~; devices coupled to the selected subscriber station; and
updating the subscriber contact directory to include at least a portion of the subscriber contact files.

Claims 15 – 17 (Canceled)

Claims 18-22 (Canceled)